



Report of Project Activities

Department of Labor and Workforce Development
Division of Business Partnerships



PROGRESS REPORT

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: Alaska Operating Engineers/Employers Training Trust NAME OF PROJECT: Heavy Equipment Operators Training-Iliamna REPORT PERIOD: 5/19/03-5/30/03

PROJECT ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Briefly describe the grant activities undertaken during the period and any accomplishments achieved.

We were requested to put on a class in Heavy Equipment Operation in Iliamna. The contractor for a local construction project (Iliamna Airport) had already mobilized their equipment to the town and was interested in hiring local individuals after the training was complete.

We sent 1 instructor for the two-week training.

Drug testing was done by the Bristol Bay Native Corporation.

Nine individuals were trained and successfully completed the training. Eight went to work for Wilder Construction and 1 individual went to work for a subcontractor fencing company on the Airport project.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR NEXT REPORTING PERIOD:

Describe the grant activities you expect to complete during the next month.

A class of 20 individuals to be trained at our training site in Palmer in Heavy Equipment Operation and another class in Venetie for local residents.

PROBLEMS, DELAYS OR CONCERNS EXPERIENCED:

Are the grant activities progressing as planned? If not, what is the cause? Identify if there are any areas the Alaska Workforce Investment Office can provide assistance.

All the activities for the training progressed as planned.

POSSIBLE PROBLEM RESOLUTIONS AND TIMEFRAMES:

For any problems identified, describe how you will resolve them and how long it will take.

We have experienced problems with getting the grant applications filled out when we have a class in the villages. We will work closer with the instructors that travel to the village to make certain they have the applications filled out prior to the class beginning.

Drug testing in the villages is a little more difficult to coordinate. We will be working closer with the liaison there to make certain everyone attending the class has been drug tested.

Certification: I certify that the above information is true and correct and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Tim Jurgensen, Administrator

Name and Title

Signature

Date